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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98 and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed July 6, 2005, Applicants hereby bring the following information to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application:

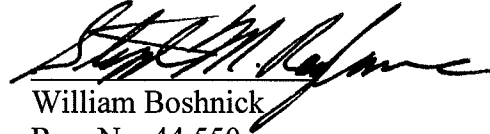
JP 61-159004, July 18, 1986, accompanied by an English language abstract thereof.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. A copy of the above-noted foreign document is attached hereto and all of the documents are listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the next official communication in the present application.

Payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (p) is enclosed.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully Submitted,
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